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in patent number 6,018,954, granted February 1, 2000, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled HEAT PUMP SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AIR-CONDITIONING

the specification of which

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This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.

Name of Patentee(s)

Gad Assaf

Patent Number

6,018,954

Date Patent Issued

February 1, 2000

Title of Invention

HEAT PUMP SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AIR-CONDITIONING

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